RG104 E-1 Box 149
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Encl.

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

New York City, Dec' 25th, 1887

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I beg that you will give me the benefit of your knowledge on this subject.

The Correspondent supposes that an automatic machine is used for the purpose & wants to know particulars concerning it & its probable cost.

I shall feel very much obliged for any information you may be able to send me in respect of such a machine, and of the balances used for testing & adjusting Coins at the mint - their cost, & the address of manufacturers from whom they may be procured.

Very respectfully

Ed Gilfillan

Asst Treasurer

Hon James P Kimball
Director of the Mint
Washington D.C.

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Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

NEW YORK CITY,

Dec 28th, 1887.

C. J. Canda

Assistant Treasurer U. S.

Requests information as to best Method used by the Mint in weighing and Separating dollars halves & quarters; also particulars as to Automatic Machine &c

Treasury Department,
Bureau of the Mint,
December 29. 1887.
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Director of the Mint

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